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ventor(s):

Timothy S. Hostetler

Confirmation No.: 3192

Application No.: 10/633,098

Examiner: Tai V. Nguyen

Filing Date:

08/01/03

Group Art Unit:

Title:

SLOTTED SUBSTRATES AND TECHNIQUES FOR FORMING SAME

Mail Stop Amendment **Commissioner for Patents** PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:				
Tran	smitted herewith is/are the following in the	above-identified app	lication:	
(X)	Response/Amendment	( )	Petition to extend time to res	pond
( )	New fee as calculated below	( )	Supplemental Declaration	
(X)	No additional fee			
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(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		(5) PRESENT EXTRA		(6) RATE		(7) ADDITIONAL FEES	
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to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this 0 application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Date of Deposit: 05/27/05

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Respectfully submitted,

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May 27, 2005

# RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND RESTRICTION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action and Restriction Requirement issued April 29, 2005, Please amend the present application and make the elections as set forth herein.

### **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

Date of Deposit: May 27, 2005

I hereby certify that these papers are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as "First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, The Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Doreen Melchior